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# The ROCK

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GO—GO—GO POETS  
FIGHT—FIGHT—  
FIGHT POETS  
GO POETS,  
FIGHT POETS  
FIGHT POET TEAM!

With the spirit typifying football season and the beginning of the school year, Whittier College students whoop it up at a night rally in Harris Amphitheatre to spur the football team on to victory.



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*An Open Letter to Alumni  
From Association President, Carl Siegmund*

## *"The President's Corner"*

*Dear Alumnus:*

*Another year has rolled around and we are again very near the time when our Homecoming activities take place. The date is Saturday, October 20. The evening dinner-dance at the Clock Country Club was so successful last year that it has been arranged again for this year. We had hoped that a larger location for the dinner-dance could be found near the College to accommodate all who wanted to attend, but since this was not possible, reservations at the Clock will be limited to 428 and placed on a first come, first served basis.*

*On September 18, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Perry, my wife Nelda, and I, drove to Phoenix, Ariz., for a week's vacation. While there, we made efforts to start an Arizona Chapter of the Alumni Association. Bob O'Brien flew down for one evening when we met with Mr. and Mrs. Don Stone and Esther M. Dodson to discuss the chapter. We look for much progress to be made in this area soon.*

*It is also gratifying to note the interest shown in the recent Whittier Chapter steak fry Bar-B-Q. This new organization is off to a good start and we hope that every alumnus in Whittier will take part in future such events. Active participation in these various activities greatly strengthens our Alumni Association. It is our hope to establish alumni chapters in other areas, but it takes time and careful planning. If you would like to see an alumni chapter established in your area and would be willing to help organize it, contact the Alumni Office.*

*"The 1195 Club" is another active group which has continued each year to show increased interest in the athletic program of Whittier College. The Lancer Society members and alumni are currently underway with their final big fund raising campaign to finance the Whittier College Memorial Chapel. We all realize that the College has a definite need for a chapel and I sincerely urge you to support this worthwhile project when you are asked to contribute.*

*The need for fostering and developing the small Liberal Arts college was brought out at the Phoenix meeting by Mr. Stone. In 30 years of working with young people in the field of education he has noted that the graduate of a Liberal Arts institution is better equipped to face the multitude of problems presented by our complex society of today and is a better citizen accordingly. Every alumnus can help in some way. Pick a project and try to contribute in some way—with time or money. The need is urgent.*

*Sincerely  
Carl Siegmund, '35  
President  
Whittier College Alumni Association*



**CARL SIEGMUND, '35**  
Alumni Association President





1956 Homecoming Queen.  
ARDITH OWEN



*Huge Crowd  
Attends 1956 Homecoming*

## *1956 Homecoming Included Many Added Features, Bigger Parade*

**W**HAT WAS ONE OF THE biggest Homecoming Day celebrations in Whittier College history took place Saturday, October 20.

Featured on the day's program was the addition of an "Independents Brunch" for all alumni who do not have a society affiliation. Students now on campus who are not members of a society were also invited to attend.

For many years it has been felt that this type of brunch should be held, to become an annual affair. Nearly 100 alumni and students attended this new addition to Homecoming, held at the Whittier Woman's Clubhouse. A delicious luncheon was served and Whittier College President, Dr. Paul Smith, spoke to the group. Musical entertain-

ment was provided by students and alumni. Dora Guerrero, senior, was chairman of this activity.

Another highlight of the day was the Homecoming dinner-dance at the luxurious Clock Country Club. Following last year's success the event was planned again for this year. 490 Alumni were treated to an excellent prime rib dinner prepared by the Club Chefs and danced to the music of the Country Club orchestra.

Homecoming and Activities Commission Chairman, Shirley (Garman) Mealer, '53, was in charge of the evening banquet.

More spectacular than ever was this year's Homecoming Day parade. The event was highlighted by the appearance of motion picture actor, Dale Robert-



Popular motion picture star, Dale Robertson, appeared in the 1956 Whittier College Homecoming Parade. This year's parade featured many new added entries.

son, star of "Dakota Incident," "Top of the World" and "Gambler From Natchez."

Other outstanding entries included the 18th District American Legion "Saints" Drum and Bugle Corps, ten oldtime automobiles from the Newport Beach Regional Group Horseless Carriage Club, the Monterey Park Girl's Drum and Bugle Corps, the Fred C. Nelles Boy's Drill Team, bands and drill teams from Whittier Union High School, California High School, Excelsior High School, Santa Fe High School and the "Precision-



### *◀ "Come Away With Me Lucille"*

A feature of the Homecoming Parade was an entry of ten old-time cars from the Newport Beach Regional Group Horseless Carriage Club. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest C. Boyer of Long Beach are shown with their 1917 Overland, which along with nine other "early model cars," appeared in the parade.



## Committee Plans Homecoming Dinner-Dance

Shown discussing plans for the Homecoming Dinner-Dance at the Clock Country Club are (l. to r.) Tom Wood, '50, Alumni Association vice president; Shirley (Garman) Mealer, '53, social chairman; Carl Siegmund, '35, president; and Robert O'Brien, '53, Alumni secretary.

Because of last year's success, this popular Homecoming Day activity was planned for second straight year. Record crowd attended.



ettes" Girl's Drill Team from El Monte High School.

This year's floats were more outstanding than ever. Pictures of the winners will appear in the December issue of *The Rock*. Float additions to the parade included an Occidental College entry and an entry from the Whittier Alumni Chapter.

Heading the parade was a U.S. Marine Corps color guard, followed by the Whittier College band and college and city officials. The Homecoming theme was "Campuscope."

The afternoon football game saw the Whittier College Poets win a hard fought contest with the Occidental Tigers by a 32-14 score.

Leading off the day's schedule of events was the "Cap and

Gown Alumnae Breakfast" in the Campus Inn at 8:45 a.m. and the "Woman's Physical Education Department Coffee" at 8:30 a.m. in the lounge of the woman's gymnasium.

Alumni brunches took place following the parade and were held at various locations in and around Whittier.

Student Homecoming Co-Chairman, Gussie Andreatta, '58, and Neill Richards, '58, assisted in planning the parade and coordinating student activities. Their committee included Alice Triggs, '58, and Phil Alvarado, '58. Judy Stone was in charge of Coronation ceremonies, the crowning of the Homecoming Queen (see page 3), which was held at Herbert E. Harris amphitheatre, Thursday

evening, October 18. The secret of which girl was the Queen was withheld until that time. The colorful spectacle initiated Homecoming activities and was witnessed by several hundred students, alumni and townspeople.

It has come to the attention of the Alumni Office that many alumni living within a short distance of the College did not receive their Homecoming letter until almost a week after being mailed. Ordinarily such mailings arrive within two or three days. In this case it has resulted in these alumni being unable to make dinner-dance reservations before choice tickets were gone.

We are sorry for this unfortunate circumstance and we are checking with the postmaster at the point of mailing as to the reason for the delay.



## "When The Saints Go Marching In"

Pictured left is the 18th District American Legion "Saints" Drum and Bugle Corps. This outstanding musical group marched in the 1956 Whittier College Homecoming Parade.

This year's parade featured over forty different entries and was the largest Homecoming Day Parade in College history.





### *"The Man Who Came To Breakfast"*

Vice President Richard Nixon eats breakfast with students during his surprise visit to the Campus Inn on Sept. 19. Following a political rally the previous evening at Whittier High School, he spent the night at the William Penn Hotel in Whittier. Rising early the next morning he walked alone and unannounced into the Campus Inn, taking everyone there completely by surprise.

Here Mr. Nixon chats with Shirley Davis, left, sophomore from Oceanside, and Larry Murray, freshman from Garden Grove.

## *Vice President Richard Nixon Joins Students For Breakfast*

**D**UCKING OUT ON A sizzling campaign schedule and reporters for half hour, Vice President Richard Nixon showed up completely unexpected at the Campus Inn for breakfast on Wednesday morning, Sept. 19.

After waiting in line to get an order of scrambled eggs, he sat down at a table with several students but never had a chance to touch his breakfast. He sipped a cup of coffee as he informally shook hands with about 300 students, asking them where they were from and what they were majoring in.

The Vice President didn't forget the crew of students that were working in the kitchen and caught dishwasher Dick Elliott, a junior from Phoenix, Ariz., by surprise when he shook hands with him. Only after he had shaken hands did Elliott realize his hands were greasy. Nixon

commented: "The best students are found here."

The Vice President recalled his days as student body president of Whittier College in 1933-34 while speaking with Bill Marumoto, president of the student body at this time.

Nixon discussed Whittier College's crucial loss to arch-rival Pomona - Claremont last year and Whittier's prospects this season, especially against the Air Force Academy, with Football Coach George Allen. Coach Allen was surprised by the Vice President's knowledge of Whittier's football fortunes and his interest in this season's schedule.

The Vice President spent several minutes talking with President Paul Smith and remarked, "The old campus really looks wonderful."

## *College Endowment Fund Nears \$2 Million Mark*

**W**HITTIER COLLEGE'S ENDOWMENT fund is expected to pass the \$2,000,000 mark by next year, according to a recent prediction by President Paul S. Smith. During the last four years the College has doubled its endowment.

In an announcement made last June before members of the Whittier Chamber of Commerce, Dr. Smith said the College has undertaken a \$5,000,000 endowment program in which everyone in the community of Whittier will be invited to participate. The College will go to the community seeking \$200,000 to \$300,000.

Dr. Smith reported the College's budget last year to be \$1,500,000. Balancing the budget is done largely on faith, he said, because unless tuition and gifts come in as expected each year, the budget will be out of kilter.

### *Classmates Lead Rally*

When Vice President Richard Nixon launched the GOP national campaign on Sept. 18 with a speech at Whittier High School auditorium, he was greeted with a large political rally headed by fellow classmates from the Class of 1934. Gathering attracted thousands, many from as far away as San Diego and Santa Barbara.

Three Whittier College freshmen are shown carrying welcome banner.





# Commencement Charge

By Mrs. Jessamyn (West) McPherson, '23

*(Editor's note! The outstanding highlight of June's graduation exercises in Herbert E. Harris Amphitheatre was the Commencement Charge given by Mrs. Jessamyn (West) McPherson, '23, famous literary artist. We felt certain you would enjoy reading it:)*

Mary—John—Sally—Robert . . . I address you thus rather than as members of the class of 1956 for three reasons.

First of all, you do not in fact have any other existence.

Second, it is the glory of this College that it educates men and women to be individuals and not the members of any class . . . not even of its own graduating class.

And third, I believe it to be a great tragedy to be born a man and to die a green grocer.

I believe it to be a great tragedy for unique, irreplaceable human beings to be willing to earn their living as rubber stamps, to experience their pleasure as stereotypes, and finally to end their lives as serial numbers.

And I believe it to be both your duty and your joy to discover who you are as individuals, and having made that discovery, to have the integrity and energy to live out that individual life.

Jane—Alice—William—Richard . . . I address you thus rather than as members of the graduating class of 1956 because I hope that you have no intention of obliterating yourselves as individuals in any profession. I hope that you do not consider it your primary goal in life to become successful teachers, renowned architects, or well-regarded merchants or affluent doctors.

I address you thus because I hope that your primary goal in life is to fruition the seeds of your own characters and temperaments.

And I hope that you discover early rather than late that unless you do this—your class rooms will be hollow with your own emptiness.

Your blue prints will be mirrors reflecting your own imitativeness.

Your counters will carry nothing but merchandise and price tags.

Your medical ministrations will be mechanized by your own impersonality.

Do not mistake me. Do not think that I am placing upon you any empty charge of self-expression.

The most complete expressions of self—unrelated to any patterns of responsibility—are to be found today in our state hospitals.

Do not think that I am placing upon you any easy charge.

It is very difficult in the midst of today's subtle and continuous pressures in politics, in business, in the arts, to discover who you are as an individual—and having made that discovery, the battle is still not won. Will you have the courage and the vitality to hang on to the feelings, the beliefs, the convictions, which are truly yours?



James—Betty—David—Anne . . . I am addressing you as individuals. And I ask you to remember that it is I, an individual, who speaks to you.

Keep in mind that what I say was not determined by a poll and that none of my words have been tested for customer appeal.

Do not let the fact that my words are mechanically amplified in any way persuade you that they are significant.

The words I am now going to speak to you are very old. They were not written by me. Their import is grave. Their injunction, perhaps, impossible to follow. Their reward, if followed, is joy. Those words are these:

Love God and do what you will. By doing what you will, you will become selves, not imitations. Loving God, who is love, your acts will be free of hatred and destructiveness.

Only to the open and loving heart are the beauties of the world we live in truly visible; beauties of cloud and stone, of cobweb and grass-blade, of the faces of men and women.

Only to the open and loving heart are the strengths and truths, the insights and revelations of the arts available.

Only love can provide the climate in which your own natures can come to fruition.

Only love is creative.

Only love can give you what is indeed life's crown and flower . . .

This is the loving relationship of your truest self with the truest selves of other men and women.

Love God and do what you will. I could not, looking into your faces, charge you with any smaller task, offer you any lighter burden, or promise you any greater joy.

Helen—Edward—Nancy—George.



# 1955-1956 Fund Appeal Breaks All Records

- Total Given By Alumni Reaches \$25,308.05
- \$10,558.05 Contributed Through Alumni Office
- 10.6% of Alumni Participate in Campaign
- List of 1955-1956 Alumni Fund Contributors

<b>1904</b> Mary Dell Coryell		<b>1918</b> Helen J. Chase Ethel W. King Pearl Knox Henry R. Levo Eva (Anderson) McCallum Gladys (Pemberton) Shreve	<b>\$25.00</b>	James V. Robinson Mary Elizabeth (Chambers) Shaffer Dr. Peter A. Toben Beryl (Moore) Woodward		Oko Murata Ruby (Ball) Pierce Edwin Pressey Lisle R. & Permelia (Smith) Sheldon Kiyo (Murata) Shimizu Ruby (Gray) Wenger Camilla (Luttrell) Wiggins
<b>1905</b> Esther C. Andrews Loretta M. Cook Anna L. Tomlinson	<b>\$125.00</b>	<b>1919</b> Emma (Setzer) Cox Verl and Davena (Todd) Murray Lois (Bennink) Sharpless	<b>\$22.50</b>	<b>1927</b> William Gifford Adams Esther (Cox) Davis Foster D. Ewart Mary Virginia (Platt) Hahn Art Johnson Mildred (Smith) Pullen Ricarda (Pearson) Pyle W. Clement Reece Laura (Akley) Robinson Louise (McGlenn) Scott Wallace R. Turner Ruth (Trueblood) Votaw	<b>\$264.00</b>	<b>1932</b> William C. Balch Ardith (Spencer) Buckner Elizabeth Dickerson Josephine (Whistler) Dockstader Helen (Bewley) Hathaway Helen (Field) Jenkins Paul L. Johnson Harold J. Jones John E. Maxson William & Maxine (Eltringham) Mifflin Frank W. Patterson Seth & Mary Fae (Moffett) Pickering Dr. Julius Siegel
<b>1906</b> Mabel (Smith) Roberts		<b>1920</b> Marguerite (St. Clair) Augustine Lura (Haworth) Heaton		<b>1928</b> Francis E. Allen Robert & Edna (Bumgardner) Amsbury Miriam (Pearson) Barmore Kenneth E. Cox The Reverend E. Ezra Ellis Estalene (Bailey) Gafford Judge Edward J. Guirado Genevieve E. (Moller) Henkle Herman H. Henkle Dr. Arthur J. Hunnicutt Mildred (Dorland) McMurray George E. Outland Lee Watson	<b>\$261.50</b>	<b>1933</b> Dolores (Lautrup) Ball W. Paul Batson Arlene (Kengler) Brown William Howard Church Herschel & Pauline (Petty) Daugherty Mary (Dixon) Garner Robert Gibbs Max Goldman Burton Hufford Theodore Ing William Krueger Byron Netzley Elizabeth (Aiko) Nishikawa Margaret (Larson) Pressey Robert F. Rockwell Gwendolyn (Hart) Rudolph Franklin Shoemaker Vincent Sinatra Rachel Jaques Zirwes
<b>1907</b> Jessie (Reynolds) Jessup Inez (Bennett) Siemon		<b>1921</b> Dr. L. G. Hunnicutt Thelma (Todd) Stevens		<b>1929</b> William W. Bigbee Jennette (Sanders) Cox Dr. Maxwell & Lillian (LaVerne) French Lester K. Gates Ruth (Behnke) Gerrard Morgan & Anne (Henderson) Halvorson Jean (McWhorter) Miller Penn & Nyra (Hagen) Pickering Marjorie (Bure) Reece Katherine M. (Barber) Robinson Ruth P. Schindler Leslie C. Wade Wallace S. Wiggins Eleanor (Marshall) Wildman William F. Young		<b>1934</b> Beatrice (Stanley) Avery Kenneth L. Ball John S. Barnett Paul Bixby Winifred (Davies) Church Louise (Kennedy) Easterbrook Clinton O. Harris Elizabeth (Brewer) Hutchison Jane (Wilson) Jones George E. Kellogg Regina (Dunkin) Kemp Evelyn (Johnson) Krueger Helen (Sears) Larson Richard Philipp Barbara (Creager) Prell Virginia (Knott) Reafsnyder Dr. Homer Rosenberger Martha (Hasse) Schaefer Lois (Jessup) Schubert Leona (Mendenhall) Snow Richard Spaulding Richard A. & Geraldine (Hill) Thomson
<b>1908</b> Jeane L. Arnold		<b>1922</b> Leighton R. Stewart Josephine (Gibbs) Wayt		<b>1930</b> Roscoe Buckner Ruth (Hollingsworth) Domecq Evelyn (Starbuck) Harner Roy C. Holmes Mildred (McFarlane) Hyde Richard & Florence (McRae) Reese The Reverend E. C. Schneider Leslie O. Taylor Clydis E. (Velzy) Trantum Virginia (Moore) Triggs Dwight L. Williams	<b>\$148.50</b>	<b>1935</b> Vera (Holloway) Alger John J. Christopher
<b>1909</b> Whittier Williams Ethel (Ashton) Wilson		<b>1923</b> Merritt T. Burd Esther (Milhous) Dodson J. Willard & Edith (Elmore) Kramer Robert W. Myers Josephine (Knapp) Starkey Frederick B. White	<b>\$96.00</b>	<b>1931</b> J. Henry Burke Dr. Irvin Harner Shirley (Cate) Holmes The Reverend John Albert Larson	<b>\$160.00</b>	
<b>1910</b> Cora (Scheurer) Laport Leona Merrick Edna (Thornburgh) Nanney Lulu May Pearson	<b>\$206.00</b>	<b>1924</b> Evelyn (Robinson) Brittain Joe N. & Wilma (Sutton) Buckmaster Walter and Doris (Landreth) Jessup Everett M. Koontz Giles Slocum Donald F. Stone Geraldine (Macdonald) Thornburgh	<b>\$205.00</b>			
<b>1911</b> Agatha (Jessup) Congdon Claire (Edwards) Harvey John L. Pearson Samuel C. Pickett Judge Frank G. Swain Olive (Wright) Thompson Dr. Lucille H. Williams	<b>\$635.00</b>	<b>1925</b> Dr. Merrill G. Barmore Capt. Albert R. Behnke, Jr. Virginia (Kile) Bigbee Gennady Blinoff Nellie (Peel) Burd Esther (Stubbs) Canfield Oran T. Cosand Ethel (Koontz) Eckels Ethel E. Hatch Dr. William C. Jones Roy C. Morris Jerald D. Robinson Frank Shaffer Roy C. Votaw	<b>\$169.50</b>			
<b>1913</b> Jesse A. Stanfield		<b>1926</b> Clifford L. Baldwin Eva (Foster) Clark Charles F. Eckels Florence Evans The Reverend A. R. Harrison Florence (Cunningham) Hinshaw Helen (Haworth) Jones Charles W. Kinnear Mahlon B. McMurray Chet C. Pearson Dr. H. Randolph Pyle	<b>\$193.50</b>			
<b>1914</b> Russell E. Harrison Elma (Marshburn) Pearson Marion R. Plummer Charles E. Taber	<b>\$50.00</b>					
<b>1915</b> Virgil Ward Henrietta (Harris) Williams Mary (Todd) Wright	<b>\$40.00</b>					
<b>1916</b> Lillian (Heller) Light Walter S. Spicer Brig. General L. S. Swindler Fern (Cox) Taber Dr. Frank M. Wright	<b>\$97.50</b>					
<b>1917</b> Lewis A. Cox Lucy (Redman) Drake Hilda (Hickman) Harrison Oscar & Olive (Milhous) Marshburn Dr. Emmet A. Pearson Claude O. Sams Marjorie (Bookstaver) Stone Mary (Myer) Wells	<b>\$103.50</b>					



Ruth E. Chambers  
Eleanor Edith Crill  
Rolland Dockstader  
Flora (Honeyman) Harris  
Charles B. Kemp  
Helen (McClean) Netzley  
Beryl Nottthoff  
William W. Olsen  
Hubert C. Perry  
Saragrace (Frampton) Philippi  
Harriet (Menker) Robinson  
Frances (Kingston) Shonborn  
Carl Siegmund  
Robert Dale Singleton  
Oscar A. Smith, Jr.  
William and Dorothy (Petty)  
Soeberg  
Clifford S. Thyberg

# **1936 \$582.00**

Joe Cosand  
Mabel (Marling) Eller  
George Fobes  
Ruth (Plannette) Jordan  
Lois (Bushby) Morse  
Vera (Wickert) Pos  
Frank G. and Margaret  
(Mortensen) Swain  
Jack Swain  
Kerns Vaughn  
Lee Watson

# **1937 \$299.00**

Dr. Carlos A. Bailey  
Barbara Butterfield, Lt. USN  
Dr. Robert B. Drury  
Bruce L. Giffen  
Barbara (Little) Hammer  
Ernest N. Jordan  
Robert M. and Barbara (Todd)  
Kennedy  
Lurena (Yee) Lee  
Judge Calvin C. McGregor  
Robert C. Post  
Maxine (Gorsuch) Renner  
Newton and Margaret (Lautrup)  
Robinson  
Eleanor (Tweedt) Stenger  
Alice (Martin) Rosenberger  
Evelyn von Schlieder

# **1938 \$198.75**

Dorothy (Welch) Ashby  
Constance (Cole) Bailey  
Virginia (Ward) Cook  
Richard A. de Moulpied  
Walter F. Dexter  
Harriett (Cooper) Ebermayer  
Margaret (Brewster) Ekholm  
S/Sgt. Robert T. Furnas  
Leslie Garlinghouse, Jr.  
Verda M. Hawkins  
Margaret (Bennett) Hughes  
Ardith (Lowe) Kane  
Dr. John and Jean (Bassett)  
Kegler  
Robert Lester  
Arthur C. Lindenmeyer  
Dr. Janet MacFarland  
Haruko (Satow) Matsumoto  
Phillip Ockerman  
Edythe (Leuenberger) Swain

# **1939 \$245.50**

James Robert Akers  
Gene and Rose (Frank) Bishop  
Edith Coffey  
Virginia (Garretson) Corneliussen  
Elizabeth (Langdon) Doggett  
Margaret (Hathaway) Fobes  
Paul S. Fukushima  
Betty (Souls) Garlinghouse  
Keith W. Jacob  
Deward Millsap  
Doris (Mead) Ockerman  
Mary Jo (Walling) Reid  
Dr. W. T. Sechrist  
Keith (Cole) Sleetman  
Thurston Sydnor  
Walter C. Taylor, Jr.  
Eleanor (Brooks) Tucker  
Alonzo and Evelyn (Cravens)  
Valentine  
Capt. Doris D. Williams

# **1940 \$168.50**

Leonard L. Bacon  
Walter P. Baysinger  
Margaret (O'Connor) Carter  
Madolyn (McKenzie) Christopher  
Myron D. Claxton  
J. Robert Clift  
Donald E. Craggs

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Graves  
Mary (Bedford) Hendrick  
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Genevieve (Townsend) Jaissle  
Gertrude (Mowry) Lingo  
Ruth (Kulp) McGuckin  
George C. Parker  
Alice (Saunders) Robison  
Susanna (Strickler) Smith  
Geraldine (Hill) Thomson  
Beatrice Toplift  
Russell Vincent  
Leland S. Woodward

# **1941 \$312.00**

C. C. Bennington  
Edwin B. Bonner  
Olive (Chandler) Clift  
Barbara (Murray) Coffman  
Charles E. Cooper, Jr.  
Betty (Smith) Dean  
Lucy Lee (Garlinghouse) Dexter  
John Hales  
Robert and Mary Ellen (Perry)  
Hartman  
Jane Hockett  
Arthur W. Jaissle  
Betty Kay Merritt  
Frederic and Mary (King)  
Nicholas

Adele (Martin) Phillips  
Frank L. Richardson  
Carolyn (Richardson) Robison  
Dr. Frank A. Rogers  
Bettie Gene (Henderson) Rogers  
Virginia (Davis) Schmid  
Mary (Thompson) Sydnor  
Virginia (Ashley) Thyberg

# **1942 \$144.50**

Everett J. Dietrick  
Ruby A. Fletcher  
Venona (Holmes) Fox  
Lois (Collins) Hardin  
Beatrice (Erichson) Kavenoky  
Ruth Mary (Roberts) Larson  
Justine (Smalley) Lemke  
Perry D. Morrison  
William H. Newsome  
Margaret (Miller) Saul  
John and Velma (Ramsey) Scott  
Dr. Jack Spence  
Dorothy (Sabin) Van Sandt  
Mary (Salmon) Walton  
Mary Lu Wilson  
Walter F. Worrill

# **1943 \$113.00**

Elizabeth (Taylor) Alder  
Graydon Blue  
Barbara (Stambaugh) Callicott  
Gwyn (Wardman) Dietrick  
Donald T. Eggen  
Robert Harley Jordan  
Leland H. Mahood  
Constance Martois  
Grace (Miks) Meierding  
Marjorie Phillips  
Jane (Gray) Sharp  
Thelma V. Sprague  
Ruth Ann (Thomas) Taylor  
Elizabeth (Lamb) Tunison  
Caroline (Reade) Woodward

# **1944 \$134.50**

Lorraine (Smith) Calkins  
John J. Carter  
Jere (Rojas) Craggs  
Howard T. Harrington  
Dr. Russell Husted  
Charles H. Lewis  
Mary E. Madden  
Virno Panicacci  
Bertha M. Schrack, Capt. AMSC  
Kathleen (Ball) Sebastian  
Charles E. Sharp  
Dr. Earle Skinner  
Myla (Hathaway) Spence  
John Ellsworth Stecklein

# **1945 \$107.00**

Norfleet Callicott Jr.  
Robert Cauffman  
Gerald J. Cox  
Shirley (Roberts) Firestone  
Georgia C. Gordon  
Lorna (Goodin) Hudson  
Polly (Hammond) Newberry  
Jane (McMillan) Reitherman  
Carol (Coiner) Saunders  
Dr. Elwin E. Stanfield

Georgia (Gordon) Stentz  
Helen (Seibert) Tange  
June (Dickerson) Yates

# **1946 \$85.50**

Eugene and Phyllis (Wilkerson)  
Adams  
Frances (Dibelka) Eggen  
Clemmet L. Hendrick  
Ruth F. Leger  
William H. Prichard  
Cecelia (Wiklund) Snapp  
Tsuchio Terada  
Dr. Harold E. Walker  
Keith Walton

# **1947 \$101.00**

Wanda (Gossen) Bradshaw  
Nesa (Moses) Crofoot  
Dr. J. L. Cushingam  
Lois Kruse  
Dr. Florence D. Miller  
W. E. Mitchell  
Dr. Ralph O. Morris  
John Seemann  
Vivian J. Sprague  
Helen (Lodholz) White  
Taber H. and Isabelle (Baker)  
Whittlesley  
Eliot Wirt

# **1948 \$195.50**

Stanley G. Alexander  
Joseph C. Aulenbrock  
Dr. James Bruff  
Jackie (Clarkson) Cauffman  
Clifford Cole  
Nadine (Vill) Dallara  
Evelyn Fuston  
Marjorie Gregg  
James B. Gregory  
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Francis Sypherd  
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Gladys (Guilford) Voorhees  
Vernonique Waddingham  
Joe and Mary Lou (Keen)  
Wilcox  
Dan Wilson  
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**ALUMNI ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS PRESENTED**—Outgoing Alumni Association President, Gene Bishop, '39 (right, is shown presenting the Alumni Achievement Award to Judge Frank G. Swain (left), and Dr. Arthur F. Corey (center), at the Alumni Day Luncheon on Commencement Day last June. Judge Swain was selected to receive the award for his outstanding contributions to the field of Law. Dr. Corey was named for his achievements in the field of Education.

## "1195 Club Plans Annual Football Meeting

**T**HE ANNUAL FOOTBALL MEETING of "The 1195 Club" will be held on Friday, November 30, with a dinner at the Campus Inn, with High School and Junior College football players as guests.

There are now over 135 members in the Club. Membership dues are \$12 a year. For further information write, "1195 Club" 127 E. Philadelphia St., Whittier.

Recent elections produced the following new Board members for a three year term: Clint Harris, '34, Bill Krueger, '33, Beryl Notthoff, '35, Newt Robinson, '37, and Bill Soeberg, '35.

## Broadoaks Homecoming Luncheon Set

**B**ROADOAKS ALUMNAE President, Pat Bush, has announced the Broadoaks Homecoming luncheon will be held on Saturday, November 10, 12:30 p.m. in the "Cypress Room" of the Pasadena Athletic Club, Los Robles and Green, Pasadena.

Guest speaker will be Marian Jenkins, who will tell of her travels in Japan last summer.

A reservation card will be sent all Alumnae in the mail. For further information call Flora Collier, CLinton 7-2851.



Alumni whose class has reached its 50th anniversary since graduation from Whittier College gathered on Alumni Day to inaugurate the "Golden Anniversary Club" of the Whittier College Alumni Association. J. J. Jessup, president of the Whittier Academy, 1896-1901, which became Whittier College in 1901, congratulates new members (l. to r.) Anna Tomlinson, '05, Mary Dell Coryell, '04, Mabel Smith Roberts, '06, Esther Andrews, '05, and Loretta Cook, '05. All members were presented with a hand lettered certificate and gold colored membership card. The club will meet each graduation day as the guest of the Alumni Association.

## Whittier Chapter Steak Fry High Success

**O**VER ONE HUNDRED MEMBERS of the newly formed Whittier Chapter of the Alumni Association gathered for an outdoor Bar-B-Q steak dinner on Saturday, Sept. 22, in Harris Amphitheatre on campus.

This very successful activity was the first social event for the new chapter since it was organized this summer.

Menu for the evening included spencer steak, tossed green salad, rolls and butter, home made pie and coffee. The pies were donated by women of the Chapter.

This activity is one of several planned for the coming year, according to Kermit Likert, '41, president.

Members of the planning and serving committee for the steak fry included: Jane Taber Randolph, '43, Carl Randolph, '41, Dave Wicker, '49, Ardis Stewart Greene, '53, Bill Greene, '55, Tom Wood, '50, and President Likert.

The Whittier Chapter will enter a float in the Homecoming parade this year. Float Chairman is Tom Wood.





**NEW ALUMNI BOARD OFFICERS**—Newly elected members to the Whittier College Alumni Association Board are left to right (seated) Carl Siegmund, '35, president; Ruth (McCaslin) England, '26; (standing) Leonard Crofoot, '49; Thomas Wood, '50, vice president.

## Memorial Chapel Drive Underway

**A**LL ALUMNI OF WHITTIER COLLEGE will be contacted personally or by letter in the current fund drive to raise \$65,000 for the Whittier College Memorial Chapel.

Serving as General Chairman of the campaign is Dr. John A. Arcadi. Executive Committee members include Dr. Arcadi, Burt Parminter, M. C. Lautrup and Tom Deihl.

Under the coordination of Bill Greene, the following Group Leaders and workers have accepted organizational leadership and will contact their society alumni:

**ATHENIANS** — Ardis Stewart Greene, Marilyn Scott Gartin, Dee Chandler Lawrence, Shirley Garman Mealer and Betty Hibbard Kenworthy; **FRANKLINS**—Dick Thomson, Everett Hunt, John Marshall and Bob O'Brien; **IONIANS**—Jane Soderberg Gothold, Janet Banks and Ann Bamberger; **LANCERS**—Dr. Carlos Bailey, Ken Beyer, Bill Greene, Jack Harrington and Randy Twycross; **METAPHONIANS** — Nelda Connolly Siegmund, Barbara Brown Harrington, Jean Culp Reese and Marilyn Smallwood Qualls; **ORTHOGONIANS**

—Bob Clift, Myron Claxton, Leonard Crofoot, Tom Wood and Newt Robinson; **PALMERS**—Phyllis Lee Newsom, Joan Dreyer Jessup, Florence Albarian Morrison and Jane Longwell Tenopir; **WM. PENNS**—Warren Fick, Bob Brain and Edward Carter; **SACHSENS**—Merrill Jessup, Glenn Hughes and Art Turman; **THALIANS**—Dorothy Sabin VanSandt, Margaret Copeland, Ruth Dallas and Elinore Dodd Bates.

## Dr. Upton Named To Head Education Program

**W**HITTIER COLLEGE STRUCK BACK recently at the increasing trend toward specialization in education by announcing the development of an expanded integrated program that would seek to develop more fully the entire person.

Dr. Albert Upton, head of the English Department and member of the Whittier College staff since 1929, has been appointed by President Paul Smith as Consultant for the General Education Program at Whittier College with the view of developing the college's integrated program on a broader base at the lower division level.

The bringing together of differing fields of study into a single course by various professors was started at Whittier College in 1923. Dr. Herschel Coffin, head of the philosophy department and dean of faculty during the administration of President Walter F. Dexter, pioneered the development of the program at Whittier College, a program that was quickly adopted by many other colleges throughout the nation.

Campaign Director is Robert Gossom and office secretary is Betty Johnston. For information call OXford 4-3516.



**CLASS OF 1931 SILVER ANNIVERSARY**—Renewing old friendships was a happy occasion for members of the Class of 1931 when they gathered for their 25th anniversary celebration on Commencement Day. Many of the class were unable to be present for the luncheon but attended the evening banquet at Welch's Restaurant in Whittier. Dr. Irvin Harner was chairman of the planning committee. Bruce Gates was featured speaker at the luncheon.



# 1956 The year

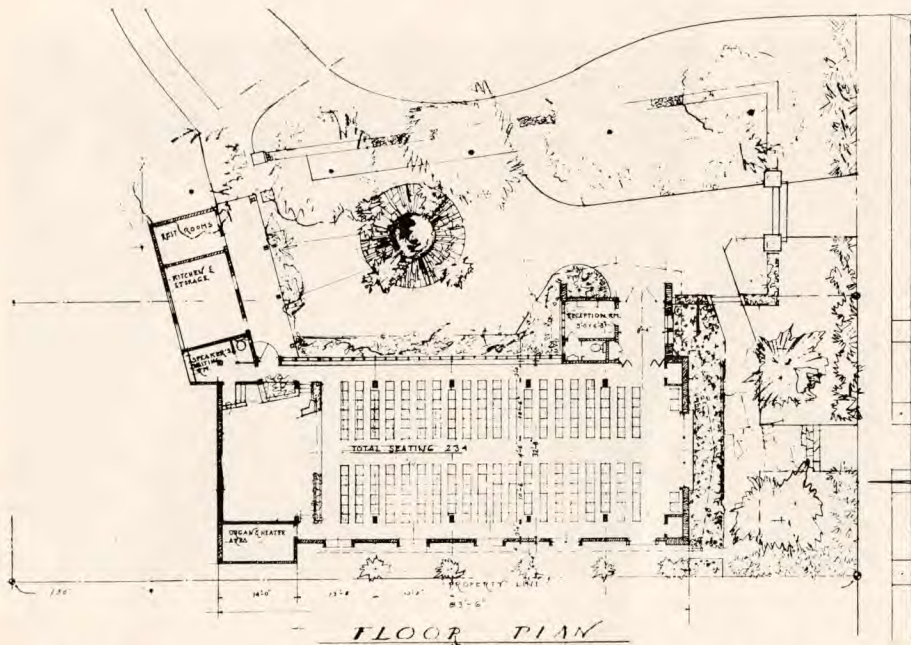
*In 1934, the men of the Lancer Society dedicated themselves and all future Lancers to the goal of building a much needed place of worship for the students of the college.*

Although the need continued to increase through the years, changing economic conditions caused the project to be passed from student generation to student generation until the present time when Lancers everywhere have renewed their desire to complete the Chapel.

It is particularly fitting in these times of critical need for the combined forces of religion and education that *all friends, students and alumni* of Whittier College help make this dream a reality.



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### Irving Cox Elected President L. B. Chapter

IRVING COX, '38, WAS ELECTED president of the Long Beach-Harbor Area Alumni Chapter in July, succeeding Dr. John Kegler, '38.

A native of Philadelphia, he obtained much of his early schooling in California. His first two years in college were spent at Wabash College, Crawfordsville, Ind. He attended Whittier College his last two years. He returned to Whittier in 1948 to

earn his master's degree.

Except for the years during the war, he has been teaching junior high school, high school and junior college in the Long Beach area.

Irving is married to the former Alva Munson, '38. They have a son now attending junior high school.

For the past six years Irving has been writing during his spare hours. His most successful writings thus far have been in the field of science fiction, although he has worked a great deal on textbooks in a ghost capacity. He has written a book published by the Long Beach school system and recently sold his first full length mystery novel, *Murder Among Friends*, soon to be published by Abelard Shuman. He now has two other novels in the hands of the publisher.

Irving says he has done so much work in science fiction that his name is frequently well known to the younger set, which often has interesting results when they come into his classroom for the first time.

Reelected as secretary of the Chapter is Pat (Patterson) Brennan, '50. John Bertram, '25, was elected treasurer.

### Liberal Arts Center Expects Record Year

THE LIBERAL ARTS CENTER FOR ADULTS at Whittier College, started two years ago as the first full scale program of its kind in the nation, showed new signs of expansion this fall with an estimated enrollment of 1,000 for the coming year, according to Director Betty Unterberger.

A new expanded program will bring the non-credit liberal arts courses into Anaheim, Garden Grove, Laguna Beach and Monterey Park for the first time. Additional courses will also be added in Covina, Downey, Fullerton, La Habra, La Mirada and Whittier. A record number of courses totaling 31 will be offered, including three new programs in "Russian Foreign Policy," "An Introduction to Modern Poetry" and "Great Issues in American Politics."

The Center has experienced a steady increase in enrollment in the past two years, having reached 300 in the first year and 540 last year. With increasing emphasis on the training of leaders, Dr. Unterberger believes the program will continue the same rate of expansion in the coming year.



"For faithful service above and beyond the requirements of the marriage contract," eleven wives of graduating seniors received their P.H.T. degree (Putting Hubby Through) at the annual Alumni Day Luncheon in June. From left to right, Stu Gothold and wife Jane, George Neff and wife Betty Jean, Ger-

ry Hempenius and wife Patti Ann, Ronnie Hoar and wife Lynn, Robert Broyles and wife Norma Jean, Jerry McKinnon and wife Elizabeth, Virgil DeLapp and wife Anne, Jim Dugger and wife Betty Lou, Jim Coleman and wife Doreen, Jim Evans and wife Delores Ann, and Frank Gardner and wife Vivian.





GEORGE TENOPIR, '48

## George Tenopir Named Director of Admissions

GEORGE K. TENOPIR, '48, was appointed Director of Admissions at Whittier College on June 26, in an announcement made by President Paul S. Smith. Tenopir had been Admissions Counselor at the College since 1952.

In his new position Tenopir is responsible for coordinating the Whittier College admissions program which includes student enrollment and the scholarship program.

Tenopir came to Whittier College in February 1952 after teaching two and one-half years at Whittier Union High School. Since that time he has been responsible for student recruitment in his position as Admissions Counselor.

Tenopir received his B.A. degree from Whittier College in 1948 and his master's in 1949.

He is a native of Friend, Neb. and has attended the U. of Nebraska, Texas A & M and Pasadena City College. During the war he served three years with the U.S. Army.

Tenopir resides with his wife Jane (Longwell, '47) and two daughters at 633 E. Walnut St., Whittier.

## President Paul Smith Gets "Singing Ovation"

WHEN WHITTIER COLLEGE President Paul S. Smith addressed the Southwest Pacific Area YMCA Conference at Asilomar in September, he received a "singing" introduction. Ten Whittier College graduates and students, all in attendance at the Conference, appeared in the wing of the Asilomar auditorium and sang the Whittier College Alma Mater.

Included in the singing were Robert Farnham, '33, San Diego; William McAllister, '35, Fresno; Howard Campbell, '51, Fullerton; Robert Liverman, '54, Berkeley; Dale St. George, '52, San Pedro; Steve Holden, '53, Anaheim; Velma (Pridham) Winesburg, '54, Alhambra; Patti Sax, sophomore, Los Angeles; Sandra Boardman, senior, South San Gabriel; and Sharon Reed, sophomore, Van Nuys.

Ed Savage, '36, Bremerton, Wash. formally presented Dr. Smith.

## Eleven Added To College Faculty

ELEVEN NEW INSTRUCTORS have been added to the Whittier College teaching staff.

Joining the history department were Dr. Herman C. Nixon, John Hay Whitney lecturer, and Wayne Miller from USC. Assuming the technical direction of Poet Theatre is Frank Bock, formerly at Houston University.

A graduate of California Institute of Technology, Ward B. Davis will be instructor in mathematics and engineering. Whittier College has established a pre-engineering course this year.

Martha Reynolds and William Raab, both formerly connected with the East Whittier School District, have been added to the education department. Ron Miller came from the Union Oil Company and will lecture on chemistry.

Joining the staff of the women's physical education department is Mrs. Edith Pine from Compton High School. Mrs. Marianne Marx, former teaching assistant at UCLA, returned to Whittier to teach German.

Former Poet football coach, Wallace Newman, has returned to Whittier College to lecture on insurance, his profession since retiring from coaching. Joining the department of Economics is Gordon Scott, lecturing on economic principals.

## New Faculty Faces

Pictured talking with College Dean, Dr. Harold F. Spencer, are new members of the Whittier College teaching staff. From left to right are Frank Bock, technical director of Poet Theatre; Martha Reynolds, lecturer on education; Ward B. Davis, instructor in mathematics and engineering; William Raab, lecturer on education; Mrs. Edith Pine, instructor in physical education; Dr. Spencer; Mrs. Marianne Marx, instructor in German; and Dr. Herman C. Nixon, lecturer on history.





# Sam Yocum - A Real Friend To Whittier College

FOR MANY YEARS ONE OF THE MOST conscientious and loyal friends Whittier College has ever known is Sam Yocum.

Sam's great interest in the private liberal arts institution, Whittier in particular, is somewhat unique because he was graduated from a large university, having majored in business administration.

It all began in 1930 when Sam opened his own office equipment business in Los Angeles. He discovered that the most important qualification necessary to administer a business was a basic knowledge of the liberal arts subjects; English, sociology, psychology, mathematics, sciences, history, economics and business and others. "This is true," he says, "because the everyday problems arising in business are never major in dealing with merchandise, but they are in dealing with people." He recognizes that the liberal arts college more thoroughly prepares an individual to meet these problems.

Sam views the liberal arts college as a place where teachers of all types are developed; teachers for schools, for industry, in churches and social work. They are all teachers of one sort and that is one thing in which the world today is sufficiently lacking. The liberal arts college does

a better job of turning these teachers out than does the large university type institution. "As long as the liberal arts graduate recognizes this," he says, "he has a moral obligation to support such a program.

In 26 years, Sam's business has grown from a one man operation to an organization with 26 staff members. He has a manufacturing plant in Alhambra and a modern new display office at 1940 W. Pico Blvd., Los Angeles.

During the past ten years he has employed 13 Whittier College students, usually three or four at a time. He now has four graduates working for him.

Sam is program chairman for the "1195 Club" and is always promoting top students for the College. He provides them with employment while they are going through school, if they need it. He makes them realize the importance of their education. Not only is he a good public relations man for Whittier, but, he has generously helped the College both financially and materially.

Sam is a member of the Alhambra Friends Church and is President of Quaker Men's Extension Movement. He is married and has four children, three girls and one boy.



SAM YOCUM

## Dr. Chalmers To Speak Religious Emphasis Week

DR. ALLAN K. CHALMERS, Professor of Preaching and Applied Christianity at Boston University School of Theology, has been named speaker for the Whittier College Religious Emphasis Week, October 29 to November 2. He is a member of the executive committee of the Federal Council of Churches in America.

1040 students are enrolled at Whittier College for the Fall semester. Represented are 37 denominations from 156 communities in the State, 24 states outside California, Hawaii and 10 foreign countries (Africa, Canal Zone, China, France, Japan, Jordan, Nigeria, Philippines, Saudi Arabia and Indonesia).

## ◀ "Lay The Bricks In '56

Bill Marumoto, right, student body president, discusses plans for Student Work Day, held Oct. 10, with Lois Fopiano and Jim Daughtery (Work Day chairman).

Student wages this year amounted to \$1300 and will be added to the \$50,000 already in the fund. Construction on the new building is expected to began late this year.

At last June's Alumni Luncheon the senior class presented a gift of \$546 to Whittier College for furnishings in the Student Union.





# Football Team Sets 4-1-1 Record in First Six Games

WHITTIER COLLEGE'S UNPREDICTABLE football team displayed its talents before a near capacity Homecoming crowd October 20 when it clashed with its arch rival, the Occidental Tigers, in the 1956 Homecoming game. The Poets came away from the contest with a 32-14 victory.

Head Coach George Allen, in his sixth year at Whittier, found himself with a very inexperienced squad at the beginning of the season, having lost eight of the 11 regulars from his '55 club. The outlook was pretty bleak then, but the Poets have come a long way since and should give the Tigers all they can handle.

Gone from last year's squad are such stalwarts as tailback Carl Palmer, tackle Chuck Stone, guard Marv Hoover, quarterback Mickey Bevilacqua, and fullbacks Nick Street and John McNichols, and into their shoes have stepped such new faces as tailbacks Gary Campbell and Pat Putnam, tackle Charlie McMurtry, and fullback Max Fields.

Campbell and McMurtry are transfers from Fullerton Junior College where they both received Jaycee All-American honors. Campbell was named to the first team and McMurtry, 265-pound "kid" brother of Captain John McMurtry, received an honorable mention.

Fields, 190-pounder from South San Gabriel, had proved to be the workhorse in the Poet backfield but received a shoulder separation in the New Mexico Highlands game and will probably be out the rest of the year.

Considerable strength has been forthcoming in the Poet encounters this season in the persons of guard John McMurtry and end Ed Wynkoop, who both received All-SCIAC honors last year and have been looking good to date this season.

Both Whittier and Oxy had lost to a common opponent, Santa Barbara. Whittier was walloped by the Gauchos, 24-0 in their season's opener, and Oxy was demolished by the Santa Barbarans, 31-6.

In their second game of the year against Barstow Marines, Whittier won by a close 7-6 score. The third game found Whittier battling to a 21-21 tie with a tough New Mexico Highlands University eleven.

In the game with U. of California at Riverside, the Poets' triumphed in a one-sided 59-0 victory. Against Cal Tech, Whittier fought to a 20-7 win.

## Basketball Team Opens 1956-57 Season Drills

IF GREAT DESIRE HAS ANYTHING to do with winning games, the Whittier College basketball team, under Coach Aubrey Bonham, should have a successful season this year.

This year's team has a great desire to win but is only average in size and will be facing opponents with greater team height.

There are five seniors on the 1956-57 squad: Bob Bland, Ron Thom, Denton Sonke, Bob Zabel and Bob Enzweiler.

Somewhat stronger this year will be the center position. Vying for the first string spot will be Bland, Sonke and John Ogle.

Coach Bonham will be assisted by Len Craven, '52, who recently returned to Whittier for graduate work following four years in the Air Force.

The Poets opened practice on October 15.

## THE SCHEDULE:

Dec. 1.....	at La Verne
Dec. 4.....	Westmont, home
Dec. 7.....	San Diego St., home
Dec. 8.....	at San Diego U.
Dec. 13.....	at Arizona St. (Tempe)
Dec. 15.....	at Arizona St. (Flagstaff)
Dec. 18.....	Chapman, home
Dec. 27.....	at Nevada Tourney, Reno
Dec. 28.....	at Nevada Tourney, Reno
Dec. 29.....	at Nevada Tourney, Reno
Jan. 5.....	at Pomona, home
Jan. 9.....	Occidental, home
Jan. 11.....	Cal Poly (San Luis Obispo) home
Jan. 15.....	Redlands, home
Jan. 22.....	at Chapman
Jan. 26.....	at Cal Tech
Jan. 29.....	at Pasadena Nazarene
Feb. 1.....	at San Diego St.
Feb. 5.....	San Diego U., home
Feb. 8.....	Cal Tech, home
Feb. 12.....	Pomona, home
Feb. 16.....	at Occidental
Feb. 19.....	U. of Calif. at Riverside, home
Feb. 23.....	at Redlands
Feb. 26.....	Pasadena Nazarene, home



Pictured above is the 1956 Whittier College varsity football team. Head coach George Allen will this year field the most inexperienced squad in his five years at Whittier College.



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Joan (Spencer) Frankland  
Dimple (Blair) Franklin  
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Jack A. Gardner, Sr.  
Doshia (Page) Gerckens  
Robert A. and Betty (Osborne) Headland  
Jean Hein  
Clifford Dean Hill  
Lt. John B. Humphreys  
Richard King Ives  
Doris (Kemp) Jones  
John E. Kelly  
Jean (Gregory) Ketcherside  
Ethel A. Linsdell  
Theodore F. Marshburn  
David Mason  
David Mitchell  
Jean (Bonnet) O'Loughlin  
Kenneth L. and Judith (Wise) Pike  
Alfred H. Rath  
Janice (Dirlan) Rathje  
Maurice T. Reeder  
Rupert R. Ridgeway  
Marilyn (McCormick) Robbins  
Ruth Samson  
Samuel B. Sornborger  
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Benjamin B. Tregoe, Jr.  
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Walter V. Bennett  
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Janet (Curl) Crawford  
Gordon T. Curtis  
James B. Dron  
Judy (Larson Wilder) Dunklin  
Joe & Pepper (Marjory Curtner) Fitts  
Wayne N. Flick  
Laurie (Swift) Hill  
Martha (Gardner) Horning  
Glenn and Eleanor (Rector) Hughes  
Sadako (Jean) Imamura  
Comer Knowles  
Thomas F. Ling  
Lawrence E. Macrorie  
Charlotte (Roe) Martin  
Lt. j.g. Lewis McClellan  
Margie (Edmondson) Murdy  
Leona W. Nerhood  
Jean (Shore) Raulston  
Nina (Brock) Schroeder  
Nelda (Connally) Siegmund  
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Barbara (Connolly) Stoll  
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Susan (Rogers) Sullivan  
Deon (Parsons) Wilkins

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Rodney Burroughs  
John V. and Shirley (O'Connor) Byrne  
Edward and Rachel (Cress) Carter  
Howard and Catherine (Wong) Chan  
Frank Chiros  
Kathryn Clark

Ida May Cordy  
Victor Cross  
James D. Crouch  
R. Lee and Edith (Brandt) Culp  
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Helen Fiondella  
Ben and Georgia (Brown) Granger  
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Sally (Stark) Hansen  
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Marilyn Jenepher Walker  
Nancy (Kessinger) Weinell  
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Barbara Ann Barnhart  
Joan (Floyd) Belliss  
Ethel (Mattson) Bingham  
William E. Brown  
Robert W. Capps  
Beverly (Hord) Coe  
Edith (Brandt) Culp  
Sallie (Walsh) Curtis  
Kathleen (Norris) Davis  
George S. Dibelka  
Harold W. Eagan  
Phyllis (Parsons) Evans  
James H. Fretz  
Ralph E. Gentry  
Joyce (Frank) Green  
Louis E. Hansen  
Gerald Allen Hartman  
Jean Heikkinen  
Dwight Hoelscher  
Aletha (Gray) Hotaling  
Phyllis (Hamann) Hutchinson  
Joan (Dreyer) Jessup  
Marilyn (Renn) Jones  
Robert and Carol (Evans) Keck  
Thomas A. M. Kendall  
Robert D. Kessinger  
Joyce Lange  
Richard K. Lantz  
Carol R. McEwen  
Ralph Montgomery  
Shirley Nash  
Donna Lee Noble  
Boone B. Owens  
Eda Beth J. Patterson  
George F. Peckham  
David Peel  
Edmund M. Pencin  
Anthony and Beverly (Kohn) Pierno  
Joan (White) Rice  
Marilyn (Keiser) Ridgeway  
Beatrice (Stickney) Rockwell  
James M. Rouzer  
George Schlagel  
Barbara (Emery) Shields  
Louis Vogt  
Cecile (Hankey) Weed  
William Weinell  
Jack and Barbara (Owen) Weir  
Don Kenyon Wells  
Sara Westfall  
Verne A. Willman  
Spence and Donna (Craven) Wilson  
Velma (Pridham) Winesburg

# 1955 \$99.50

Placida Bagdon  
Eugene Ballock  
Jeanne (Webster) Bradbury  
Carol (Webster) Bradbury  
Carol (Pillow) Buckles

Doris (Burns) Burnip  
Janie (Brown) Burroughs  
Richard H. Chamberlain  
Thomas Chester  
Yi Suk Choo  
Orville G. Cope  
Janice Copeland  
Florence (Nelmes) Dodge  
Katherine J. Dodge  
Carolyn (Matsuda) Drake  
Gloria Franzen  
Peggy (Cooley) Fretz  
Henrietta (Whimpe) Gantz  
Karl J. Greenhaw, Jr.  
Ensign, USNR  
Norman E. Haack  
Ben C. Harris  
Judith (Krueger) Hartman  
Rosemary Laurance  
Carole Lee  
Thomas M. Lewis  
Suzanne (Swanson) Maltby  
Catherine (Pridham) Marron  
Warren and Kathy (Bonillas) Marsh  
Sarah E. Nielsen  
Ruth (Phillips) Njust  
Vivian Oliver  
Velna (Kaenel) Reinwald  
Harold E. Rice  
George W. Sackman  
Marvin H. Sippel  
Jean (Stoughton) Smith  
Bessie E. Squires  
Joyce (Phillip) Summerfelt  
Suzanne Swanson  
John E. Taft  
Bruce Weed  
Sally (Boyer) Wilcox  
Elizabeth Ann Williamson  
Jeanette (Zurcher) Winn

# 1956 \$14.50

Ruth (Crawford) Baker  
Robert D. Chaney  
Robert H. Deatrick  
Joyce (Jones) Harris  
Jack Hunter Hutchison  
James Marron

# 1957 \$12.00

Roberta Roberts  
Thomas M. Whittaker  
Dorothy June Wilson

1958  
Dennis L. Bambauer  
Pvt. Ronald D. Meyer

**Broad Oaks Alumnae**  
Lois C. Edwards, '34  
Adelaide (Busker) Sotelo, '24

**Special Gifts Drive conducted by Dr. Paul Smith**  
**\$14,000**

**1195 Club Contributions**  
**\$750.00**

**Surplus from** \$775.80  
**Activity Booklet Sales**

**Ionian Society Alumnae—**  
**In memory of Warren**  
**Willner** \$10.00

**Anonymous** \$2.00

**Total** \$25,308.05

**Total Number of**  
**Alumni** 7,940

**Number of**  
**Contributors** 841

**Average Contribution**  
**\$30.09**

GRIN AND BEAR IT

By Lichty



(Courtesy of George Lichty and the Chicago Sun-Times Syndicate.)

"Old Alma Mater-r-r, Hmmm de-duu-u-u classic halls, Frmmmm xa-xaa-a-c  
ivied walls, Grmmmm ba-aa hopes and fears, Brmmmm dee-dmm after years,  
Alma Mater thee-e-e . . ."



# The ROCK Offers Congratulations to . . .

## NEWCOMERS

### Class of '40

To **Dr. and Mrs. Robert Crossan**, a son, March 26, 1956. Address: 3345 San Anselme, Long Beach. (See Old Acquaintances).

### Class of '41

To **Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Coffin** (Audine Meyer, '42), a daughter, Carrin Rose Marie, July 12, 1956. Address: 9416 East Daines Drive, Temple City.

### Class of '42

To **Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Saul** (Margaret Lindsay Miller, e'42), a daughter, Laura Elizabeth, June 29, 1956. Address: 15904 Casimir Avenue, Gardena.

### Class of '43

To **Dr. and Mrs. Robert R. Thompson** (Shirley Hoberg, e'43), a son, John Henry, July 6, 1956. Address: 1230 Eastridge Drive, Whittier.

### Class of '47

To **Mr. and Mrs. Paul Baum** (Willa Klug), a daughter, Rachel Cele, August 28, 1956. Address: 1165 Arch Street, Berkeley 8.

To **Mr. and Mrs. Eliot Wirt**, a son, Kenneth Alan, July 8, 1956.

To **Mr. and Mrs. George E. Trotter** (Norma Maxine Murdy), a daughter, Norma Jo, May 1, 1956. (See Old Acquaintances).

### Class of '49

To **Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Mastain** (Mary Lou Steele), a daughter, Julie Ann, May 16, 1956. Address: 407 Magnolia, Brea.

### Class of '50

To **Mr. and Mrs. Jack E. Carlisle** (Shirley Jones, '49), a son, November 6, 1955. Address: 10842 Canelo Road, East Whittier.

To **Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Woodland** (Vina Sippel), a daughter, Kimberly Ann, February 29, 1956. Address: 10421 Eagan Drive, Whittier.

### Class of '51

To **Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Smith**, a daughter, Laurie Ann, June 26, 1956. Address: 7955 Blackstone Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

### Class of '52

To **Mr. and Mrs. Cleon K. Johnson** (Martha Sue Phillips), a son, Gary Keith, July 16, 1956. Address: 4228 Amistad, Pico.

To **Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mealer** (Shirley Garman, '53), a son, Thomas Edward, June 30, 1956. Address: 14035 Hawes Street, Whittier.

### Class of '53

To **Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Burd** (Bobbie Nielsen), a son, Jeffrey Lewis, April 22, 1956. Address: 9207 Mills, Claremont. (See Old Acquaintances).

To **Mr. and Mrs. William Qualls** (Marilyn Smallwood), a son, Kevin Lee, March 1, 1956. Address: 8316 Catalina Avenue, East Whittier.

To **Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shaw** (Helen Tester, e'56), a son, Robert Grant, June 8, 1956. Address: 11107 East Dicky Street, Whittier.

### Class of '54

To **Mr. and Mrs. William E. Brown**, a son, Darwin James, May 24, 1956. Address: 6001 North Washington Boulevard, Arlington 5, Virginia.

## NEWCOMERS

To **Mr. and Mrs. George S. Dibelka**, a son, John Shaffer, July 24, 1956. Address: 621-D Virginia Street, El Segundo.

To **Mr. and Mrs. Dwight D. Keyes** (Mary Jo Barnard, e'57), a daughter, Deborah Dwyann Keyes, August 1, 1956. Address: 720 Lake Street, San Francisco.

To **Mr. and Mrs. Richard K. Lang**, a daughter, Rhonda Kay, May 31, 1956. Address: 8421 Fresno Avenue, La Mesa.

To **Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Pierno**, a daughter, Kathryn Ann, September 18, 1956. Address: Bldg. 411 - Apt. 2, Stanford Village, Stanford. (See Old Acquaintances).

To **Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Rockwell** (Beatrice Stickney), a daughter, Deane Adele, February 18, 1956. Address: 916 Ralph Street, El Monte.

To **Mr. and Mrs. Louis Vogt**, a son, David Bennett, July 12, 1956. Address: 16120 Dubesor, La Puente.

## OLD ACQUAINTANCES



Following graduation from Whittier College in 1946, Shirley (Freeburg) Lilienthal entered U. of California School of Nursing for graduate work and in 1949 received her B.S. degree.

From 1949-51 she served as Staff Nurse for San Francisco Visiting Nurse Association. From 1951-52 she was Clinic Nurse for Los Angeles County Health Department at Pomona. She then returned to U. C. for her Public Health Nurse credential and in 1953 became Public Health Nurse for Mendocino County Health Department.

Shirley is now working in Weaverville as County Nurse for the State of California Department of Public Health.

She is married to Gerald Lilienthal and is active in Girl Scout work. Future plans call for retiring from nursing and becoming a true housewife.



# OLD ACQUAINTANCES



Dr. Robert B. Rosene graduated from Whittier College in 1944. Following graduation he served with the U.S. Air Force, spending some time in India. Upon return in 1946, he entered Purdue University where he received his PhD in Chemistry in January 1951. Until the summer of 1952 he worked for Plantations Division of U.S. Rubber Company, most of this time in Sumatra and Indonesia, as a Research Chemist.

In 1952 he started with Dowell Incorporated Chemical Research Laboratory in Tulsa, Okla., and is now Laboratory Director.

While at Whittier, Bob was active in track and was a member of the William Penn Society.

He lives with his wife, Alieze and four children, at 4902 E. 25th Pl., Tulsa Okla.

## Class of '55

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Chamberlain (Barbara Black, '51), a son, Richard Henry Jr., February 19, 1956. Address: 10520 La Cima, Whittier.

To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wagnon, a son, John Thomas, August 6, 1956. Address: 348 North Aldgate, La Puente.

## More Congratulations . . .

### NEWLY-WEDS

#### Class of '39

Dr. Lida Keyes, e'39, to William Geddes, Jr. At home in South Pasadena.

#### Class of '43

Ethel Ewy Mansfield to William Kilgore. At home at 28678 Thackeray Avenue, Hayward. (See Old Acquaintances).

#### Class of '48

Donna Loveridge to Clarence R. Sterling. At home in Santa Paula.

#### Class of '49

Donna Jennings to Glenn E. Rogers, June 4, 1954. At home, 2472 W. Broadway, Anaheim.

#### Class of '50

Marjorie Moir to Robert C. Cofer. At home, 609-C S. Almansor, Alhambra.

Barbara G. Worthen, e'50, to Robert H. Brooks. At home at 10 Downing Street, New York 14, N.Y.

#### Class of '52

Mary Edrie Kerr to Tyler Brinker.

#### Class of '53

Carolyn Dodrill to John R. Williams. At home, 1060 60th Street, Long Beach.

Louis J. Hanson to Jacqueline Powers, '56, June 17, 1956. At home, 545½ South Pickering, Whittier.

Diane Sager to Raymond H. Patrick, May 19, 1956. At home, 7700 Geary Boulevard, San Francisco. (See Old Acquaintances).

Don Turner to Janet Dunham, '55. At home, 547 South Painter, Whittier.

Warren Winchester to Clara Hand, July 14, 1956.

#### Class of '54

Donn Robert Ashton, e'54, to Dianne Lanette Pickup, '56. At home, 814 Christine Drive, Whittier.

Eric Bettelheim to Phyllis Ann Kauffman. At home in Los Angeles.

Betty Rose Glines to Dr. Roy H. Palmquist. At home at the Town House, Whittier.

Phyllis Hamann to Alton E. Hutchinson on June 23, 1956. At home in Long Beach.

Letty Lewis, e'54, to Lt. Richard Johnson. At home, 2215 Pollard, Lawton, Oklahoma.

#### Class of '55

Virginia Lee Allen to Phil H. Phillips, August 11, 1956. At home in Whittier.

Donna Daugherty to Victor Lee Wright. At home in Whittier.

Richard Jones to Phyllis Rhone, '56, June 15, 1956. At home: 340 North Washington Avenue, Whittier.

Ronald Rogers to Phyllis Durant, '56. At home: 414 Pickering, Whittier.

Marvin H. Sippel to Lucia Kelly. At home in Denver, Colorado.

#### Class of '56

Marilee Casselman, e'56, to Richard Fontaine. At home: 801 Christine Drive, Whittier.

Jean Brown to Kenneth L. Anderson. At home in San Francisco.

Geraldine Palmer to Douglas S. Wolfe. At home in Whittier.

Margaret Ann Peel, e'56, to Frank R. Craig. At home in Dallas, Texas.

John Schultz to Harriet Utley. At home in Claremont.

Richard T. Smith to Sharon L. Hewitt.

William Story to Carol Fadler, '55, August 17, 1956. At home: 8534 East 10th Street, Downey.

Ivan Westergaard to Natalie Ristich. At home: 1100 Royal Street, Des Moines, Iowa.

#### Class of '57

Eric Widell, Jr., e'57, to Audrey Richens. At home: 542 East Mar Vista, Whittier.

Robert L. Strah, e'57, to Carol Ann Ozias. At home in Alhambra.



## News of BROADOAKS Folks

### Class of '24

Mrs. Ralph Sotelo (**Adelaide Busker**), is retiring from Kindergarten teaching, of which 22 years were in the Pasadena Schools and 8 years at the Capistrano Beach Elementary School. Address: 203 West Cristobal, San Clemente.

### Class of '10

In recognition of his outstanding contribution in the field of education, **Dr. George H. Bell, e'10**, was given an official citation at the graduation exercises of Mt. San Antonio College this June. The document was presented by Attorney A. L. Hickson, first chairman of the board of trustees of that institution, and took into consideration Dr. Bell's long and active career, his conscientious and intelligent leadership and his exemplary citizenship and Christian character. Address: Mt. San Antonio College, Pomona.

### Class of '15

**Everett M. Reese**, well known agriculturist and civic leader has announced his candidacy for the office of county supervisor of the third district in Brea. He is president of the Brea Chamber of Commerce and has been for many years prominent in the citrus industry. Address: 909 Deodora, Brea.

### Class of '17

**Claude O. Sams** writes: "Mrs. Sams and I traveled nearly 7000 miles from July 9 to July 21, by bus, boat, and plane. Spent six days in Alaska with our daughter whose husband is in charge of the commissary at Fort Richardson." Address: 341½ Gregory Avenue, Whittier.

### Class of '26

**Dr. William C. Jones**, dean of administration at the University of Oregon, was selected to speak at the Willamette University commencement exercises last June. Dr. Jones has served as merit supervisor of the Oregon State Public Welfare Commission and is affiliated with the American Political Science Association, the American Society for Public Administration, Pi Gamma Mu and the A.A.U.P.

### Class of '27

**Walter Word** is reaping the harvest resulting from his grafting of peach and plum trees. Neighbors call the tree Walter grafted the salad tree. It bore 370 pounds in five varieties of peaches and plums this year: Address: 911 South McClelland, Santa Maria.

### Class of '28

**Dr. George E. Outland** says he doesn't feel old enough to be a grandfather. But he is! Home address: 528 Funt Boulevard, San Francisco.

### Class of '29

**Wallace S. Wiggins** and his wife (**Camilla Lutrell, '31**) flew to Europe for three weeks this summer accompanied by their son Wally. They visited Paris, London and Switzerland and met daughter Lyndall, who was on a student tour, in Paris. Address: 838 Hillside Lane, Whittier.

Mrs. Donald C. Pridham (**Esther Moon, e'29**) writes she became a grandmother in May. She has a grandson. Address: 1543 Orange Avenue, Costa Mesa.



THE ROCK regretfully announces the passing of **Ruth W. Keatley, '54**, who died August 19, in an auto accident in Gilroy, California. This was her 24th birthday. Seriously injured in the same crash was **Nancy Smith, '54**.

Upon graduation, Ruth had taught 3rd grade at Camp Pendleton Marine Base for one year. She then moved to Berkeley where she worked for the State Department of Public Health.

While in college she was active in the Ionian Society. She is survived by her family in La Crescenta.

### Class of '30

THE ROCK regretfully announces the passing of **Goro Murata** who died recently in Tokyo, Japan, following a three year illness of cancer of the sinus.

Goro was a noted journalist with the Nippon Times prior to his illness. Recently he had turned to a less active occupation, being associated with an importing and exporting firm in Tokyo.

Surviving him in Tokyo are his wife and daughter.

### Class of '35

**Mr. William Soeberg, '35**, was appointed to the Whittier City School Board this June. Address: 106 Ridge Road, Whittier.

THE ROCK regretfully announces the passing of **Helen (Bower) Mendenhall** who passed away recently. She had been living in Westfield, N. J.

### Class of '36

**Louis Alton Brundige** recently conducted a Personal Development Workshop for the General Telephone Company of Whittier. Brundige began his career with the Consolidated Telephone Company (later General) in 1937. He assumed his present position as manager of the local company in 1946. Address: 607 Franklin, Whittier.



## OLD ACQUAINTANCES

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Following a lengthy illness, **Allen U. Tomlinson** passed away on September 22. He was 81 years young.

A resident of Whittier for more than 60 years, he graduated from Whittier Academy in 1897, forerunner of Whittier College.

A true pioneer in the City of Whittier, Mr. Tomlinson help found the Whittier Hardware Store in 1903, helped establish the first Whittier Fire Department in 1901, was on the first YMCA board and served on the Whittier City Council from 1940-48.

He was very active in the Friends Church and had 26 years perfect attendance in the Whittier Kiwanis Club.

He is survived by his wife, two sons, a daughter, and sister, Anna Tomlinson, '05.

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### Class of '37

Appointment of **Edward B. Patterson** as sales manager of Southern Counties Gas Company, Orange County Division, was made last summer.

### Class of '38

Mrs. Haruko Matsumoto (**Maruko Satow**) sent her contribution to the Alumni Fund via her sister who recently visited the Whittier College Campus. "How I would like to go with her" she writes, "and have a sweet reunion with my dear old friends there!" Address: 487 Furne, Hiroshima City, Japan.

### Class of '39

The appointment of **James R. Akers** as Manager of the Flexible Packaging Material Division, Bakelite Company, was announced in July. His headquarters are in New York City. Address: 12 Barry Road, Scarsdale, New York.

**Gene M. Bishop** announces his full time association with Insurance Securities Incorporated as Trust Fund Sales Representative. His office is located at 406, Times Building, Long Beach. Home address: 3461 Gaviota Street, Long Beach 7.

Mrs. James McClintock (**Thurza Starbuck**) teaches

school in Redwood City. Her husband is with International Business Machines in San Francisco. Address: 959 Oregon Avenue, Palo Alto.

### Class of '40

**Bob Crossan** is now Dr. Robert D. Crossan, professor of Education at Long Beach State College. (See Newcomers).

**Gene Wineinger**, district director of operational services, has been named principal of the Whittier Union High School District's fifth high school. Address: 11520 Rose Hedge Drive, Whittier.

### Class of '42

**Fred W. Ryan**, Elsinore Union High School teacher, is planning to enter the manufacturer's distributing business. He is negotiating with manufacturers who make school desks, lockers and other school equipment and plans to take such furniture and equipment lines as Southern California agent and make Elsinore the headquarters for his business. Address: Route 1, Box 47, Elsinore.

### Class of '43

Mrs. William Kilgore (**Ethel Ewy**) is teaching at Polytechnic High School in San Francisco and taught Nature Study for Elementary School teachers at San Francisco State College this summer. (See Newlyweds).

### Class of '47

**Eliot Wirt** writes he is teaching math at San Jose Junior College. (See Newcomers).

THE ROCK regretfully announces the passing of **Maria (Vivas) Ortiz**. We have learned that she passed away in 1955 following a long illness. She had been living in Chicago, Ill.

### Class of '48

**Philip Wessels**, who heads the equipment testing section at Convair's missile plant in Pomona, has developed a hobby. He and a Pomona College speech professor have worked up a demonstration for students in the seventh and ninth grades to interest and excite them over engineering and science. They'll demonstrate how to freeze a rubber ball with liquid nitrogen and crack it; how to freeze a rose and raspberries as hard as marbles. And they'll do a lot of other things to tempt the youngsters to become engineers. Address: 1975 Denison, Pomona.

### Class of '49

**James D. Lightner** was recently promoted to press room and core assembly foreman of the Whittier plant of the Modine Manufacturing Company. Address: 9268 Prairie Drive, Whittier.

**Warren B. Knox** has resumed his work on the staff of the department of development at Pomona College. He served with the department from 1953 to 1955 when he left to work with a savings and loan association in Whittier. Address: 272 North 11th Street, Claremont.

### Class of '50

**Suzanne B. Colt** was recently selected for a foreign assignment with Army Special Services. She will be a Recreation Leader and is assigned for two years to the Germany - France Command.

**Donald W. Morrison** is now a registered pharmacist representing Eli Lilly and Company in San Francisco. Address: 27 Nortgate Avenue, Apt. 4, Daly City.



**Milton R. Sanden** has accepted the new post of director of secondary curriculum for Santa Ana City Schools. Sanden has been associated with the Long Beach Public Schools since 1951. Address: 4606 Greenmeadow Road, Long Beach.

Since August 13, **Robert S. Shute** has been associated with the Sacramento County Schools as Educational Consultant.

## Class of '51

**Mrs. Ruth Bjorkman Samson** has written a new book entitled *Seven Steps to Peace*. The book contains a plan for reorganizing society around the needs of the people with a common language and a common currency. Home address: 730 West Hadley, Whittier.

## Class of '52

**Tom Drysdale**, principal of William Penn and John G. Whittier Schools, will fly to Landsberg, Germany for a two-year assignment to serve as principal of a school for children of Air Force personnel. Home Address: 10928 Dicky Street, Whittier.

**George (Len) Craven**, former varsity basketball captain, who, as a member of the U.S. Air Force, traveled halfway across the world as a member of the Far East Air Forces All Stars, has returned to Whittier for graduate study. He is studying for an MA in education and will be assisting Coach Aubrey Bonham with the varsity and junior varsity basketball teams. Address: 10509 S. Mohall Lane, Whittier.

**Lewis McClelland** writes to confirm a report previously printed in *THE ROCK* that Loretta Sullivan of San Mateo and he were married last April and live at 2834 Bayside Walk (on the beach) at San Diego, where he wishes he was instead of the Arctic where he is.

**Norman R. Stevenson** was recently assigned to the Long Beach, California store of The National Supply Company. Home address: 822 Worsham Drive, Whittier.

## Class of '53

**Robert Babcock** has been promoted to vice principal at Alice M. Birney School in the Rivera School District. He is beginning his fourth year in the district. Address: 15311 La Barca Drive, La Mirada.

**Marvin Burdg** and family are now living in Claremont until Marvin finishes his MA degree in February. He has been attending Claremont Graduate School, following two years in the Army. (See Newcomers).

*THE ROCK* regretfully announces the passing of **Robert Curran Carlson**. He had been teaching and was living in Westminster.

**Shirley Honfeld** is now a senior at Fuller Theological Seminary in Pasadena where she is studying for the Master of Religious Education degree. She is the recipient of an auxiliary scholarship. She formerly taught English and speech at Hoover High School in Glendale. Address: 145 North Oakland Avenue, Pasadena.

**Mrs. Raymond H. Patrick (Darlene Sager)** is working for the Pacific Scientific Company as an accountant. She says San Francisco seems to be quite a haven for Whittier graduates. Address: 7700 Geary Blvd., San Francisco 21. (See Newlyweds).

**Mrs. Robert Schrock (Jean Perrin e'53)** says she and her husband will be living in San Diego after June 18th. Her husband will begin his Internship at the Hillside Hospital. New address: 4352 Oregon, Apt. 4, San Diego.

**Lt. Sam Waltmire** was a contestant in the recent U.S. Olympic Team track and field trials in Los Angeles, representing the U.S. Navy. Address: 1758 Roosevelt, San Diego 9.

## Class of '54

**Tony Pierno** is out of the Army and will be entering Law School at Stanford this year. (See Newcomers).

**Eda Beth Patterson** writes: "Am at present working as a professional Group Social Worker for the Catholic

## 'Family Portraits'

### — THE TABERS —

At a dinner celebration for Charles E. Taber, '14 (seated center), honoring his retirement from Seaboard Oil Company following 36 years of service, are his wife, daughters, sons-in-law and grandchildren. From l. to r. (on floor) are Keith, 3, and Gary, 5, Ogilby. Seated on couch are Jody Taber Nowles, '53, holding daughter Dana, 1; Roselva Taber Ogilby, e'47; Mr. Taber; Fern Cox Taber, '16; Jane Taber Randolph, '43; and Stephen Randolph, 8. Standing are Kenneth Nowles, '53; James Ogilby, e'45; Carl Randolph, '43; and Margaret Randolph, 11. *THE ROCK* will appreciate suggestions of other families for its series of "Portraits."





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## OLD ACQUAINTANCES

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Youth Organization and specialize in parish work in the East Los Angeles area. Am enjoying it and doing well—thanks to Whittier College!” Address: 1164 South Norton, Apt. 9, Los Angeles 19.

**John C. Groeling** recently gave the Bellflower Herald-American the rights to publish his history of Bellflower. John wrote the history as thesis for his Master's degree from Whittier College. He is an instructor at Washington Junior High School and lives at 10336 Trabuco Street, Bellflower.

**Shirley Nash** is now home economist for the Southern California Edison Company. Address: 109 West Camino Real, Arcadia.

**Robert A. Keck** is a member of the 551st Antiaircraft Missile Battalion in El Monte. Home address: 7012 South Glengarry, Whittier.

### Class of '55

**Robert D. Odle** is in Europe as part of Operation Gyroscope, the Army's unit rotation plan. He is a member of the 8th Division Band. Home address: 12046 S. Harley Avenue, Downey.

**Marshall Thoresen** left September 29 for Europe as part of Operation Gyroscope for the United States Army. Home address: 1206 Watson Avenue, Whittier.

**Frank D. Scott** recently arrived in Germany and is now a member of the 371st Armored Infantry Battalion. Home address: 418 Bailey Street, Whittier.

**Bruce J. Martin** is in the United States Army sta-

tioned at Fort Wood, Texas. Home Address: 32717 Kentucky Avenue, Yucaipa, California.

**Tom Lewis** is teaching 7th grade in Los Nietos Elementary School. Address: 14758 East Whittier Boulevard, Whittier.

**Ens. K. J. Greenhaw, Jr. (Karl)** writes he is in Pensacola, Florida going through the Naval Flight Program and that there are several men from Whittier there. He would appreciate hearing from Whittierites. Address: BRU-In USNR Whiting Field, Milton, Florida.

### Class of '56

**Dixie Stallings** is now high school secretary for the American Friends Service Committee of the Southwest region. Address: 4746 Greywood Avenue, Long Beach.

**Virgil De Lapp** has accepted a position to teach at the Brookhurst Junior High School in Anaheim. Address: 600 West Houston, Fullerton.

**Jerry Hempenius** has accepted a scholarship to the New York University School of Business, in New York City. This is his temporary address.

**Maureen Moriarty, e'56**, graduated from U.C.L.A. last June. This summer she toured Europe for three months. In September she began teaching 6th grade in Culver City. Home address: 847 Westmont Road, Whittier.

**Boyard Rowe** is attending Pacific School of Religion in Berkeley. Address: 1798 Scenic Avenue.